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HOUSE BILL 177

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS FOR PHASE TWO OF THE BOSQUE FARMS MULTIPURPOSE RECREATIONAL PROJECT; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--PURPOSE FOR WHICH ISSUED-- APPROPRIATION OF PROCEEDS.--The state board of finance may issue and sell severance tax bonds in compliance with the Severance Tax Bonding Act in an amount not exceeding two hundred ten thousand dollars (\$210,000) when the local government division of the department of finance and administration certifies the need for the issuance of the bonds. The state board of finance shall schedule the issuance and sale of the bonds in the most expeditious and economical manner possible upon a finding by the

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1 board that the project has been developed sufficiently to
2 justify the issuance and that the project can proceed to
3 contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance
4 shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply
5 with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The
6 proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the
7 local government division of the department of finance and
8 administration for the purpose of beginning phase two of the
9 Bosque Farms multipurpose recreational project, located in
10 Valencia county, including constructing volleyball courts and
11 restrooms, purchasing and installing playground equipment and
12 planning, designing and completing landscaping. The
13 certification and issuance of bonds is contingent upon a match
14 from the village of Bosque Farms for fifty-six thousand eight
15 hundred dollars (\$56,800). Any unexpended or unencumbered
16 balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2000 shall revert to
17 the severance tax bonding fund. If the local government
18 division of the department of finance and administration has not
19 certified the need for the issuance of the bonds by the end of
20 fiscal year 1999, the authorization provided in this section
21 shall be void.

22 Section 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public
23 peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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